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A. Mohindra, et al : Group Art No.:
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Title: METHOD AND APPARATUS
FOR ENABLING LOCATION
INDEPENDENT AND LOCATION
TRANSPARENT INTERACTION
BETWEEN PROGRAM AND USER
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner of Patents
Arlington, VA 22202

Sir:

This Preliminary Amendment is being filed simultaneously with the filing of a CPA-Divisional Application under 37 CFR 1.53(b).

In the claims:

Cancel already allowed claims 1-10, which are the subject of a patent issuing on the parent application.

Amend ~~Claim~~ 13 as set forth on the following pages.